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**LETTER REQUESTING TRANSFER OF PRIOR SEQUENCE INFORMATION**

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Washington, D.C.

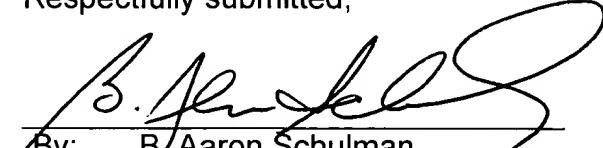
SIR:

The applicant herein states that the paper copy of the Sequence Listing in this application (a divisional application of U.S. App. No. 08/856,253, filed May 14, 1997) is identical to the computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing filed in that application. In accordance with 37 CFR §1.821(e), please use the last-filed computer readable form filed in that application as the computer readable form for the instant application.

Pursuant to this provision, it is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the instant application. In addition, pursuant to the Petition to Correct Inventorship filed in the parent case 08/856,253 which was granted on June 27, 2001, and in light of the fact that the inventorship for the present application is the same as the corrected inventorship in the parent case, the inventorship in the Sequence Listing computer readable form should also be corrected to reflect that the inventors are Magnus Hook, Joseph M. Patti and Karen House-Pompeo only.

Favorable consideration of the above letter request is thus respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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